

## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Polybutylene terephthalate has an intrinsic viscosity of 0.7 to 1.0 dL/g and an end carboxyl group concentration of 0.1 to 18  $\mu\text{eq/g}$ , which is produced in a presence of a catalyst comprising a titanium compound and a metal compound containing a metal of Group 2A of the Periodic Table. The polybutylene terephthalate of the present invention exhibits excellent color tone, hydrolysis resistance, heat stability, transparency and moldability as well as a less content of impurities, which is suitably applicable to films, monofilaments, fibers, electric and electronic parts, automobile parts, etc.